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Save your cash register slips and bring them in for cash. N. D. Phelps Co.
A regular meeting of St. John's court, C. O. F., will be held this evening at 7 o'clock.

A. S. Parkhurst's pond will be open for ice Tuesday, Dec. 18. Price, 5c a cake. Tel. 216-W.

Program for children's concert in Presbyterian church Friday night in to-day's Times—adv.

Trade at Russell's and let Rexall co-operative coupons pay for one-half of your dishes, etc.

Five cents on every dollar's worth of cash register slips for cash purchases at N. D. Phelps Co.

Fancywork of all kinds. Mrs. Waterman, 21 Camp street. Tel. 306-W, or Mrs. Shepard's store.

A suitable Christmas gift book, "A Voice of the Hills," by John W. Gordon, at Martin's Book Store.

Music furnished for all occasions by Montpelier M. band orchestra, Karl Forsell, manager, phone Montpelier 252-W.

Rummage sale in the Presbyterian church Saturday, Dec. 15, from 2 to 5. Good bargains. Bring donations Friday night—adv.

Miss Gladys N. Gale, A. A. G. O., will give a second recital Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Congregational church.

George S. Mackay, baritone, will assist. Regular meeting of Col. J. B. Mead circle, Ladies of the G. A. R., Friday afternoon, Dec. 14, at 2:30 o'clock. Election of officers. Let all members be present.

L. G. Weidner of Dunkirk, N. Y., a retail monument dealer, is registered at Hotel Barre while passing several days in the city on business.

Entertainment at Episcopal church, Westerville, Friday night at 7:30. Fine music, also good comedy. Admission, 25c. Cake and coffee free—adv.

A regular meeting of I. O. O. F., M. U., will be held in K. of C. hall Friday evening, Dec. 14, at 8:30. A ladies' time will be held after the meeting and Odd Ladies may invite lady friends.

Sadler, Keith avenue, baby carriage and go-cart runners. From wheels to sleigh in one second. A nice line of metal doll carriages. Our furniture, floor coverings, household and clothing departments particularly well stocked for the season.

Two respondents were fined in city court yesterday afternoon for intoxication. William G. Dubie of Berlin, arrested the night before, acknowledged a first offense, as did John P. McCarthy of North Montpelier. Each settled for \$5 and costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Vigneault and little daughter of Montreal, P. Q., arrived in the city this morning, having been called here by the death of Mrs. Vigneault's father, Thomas M. Carson, of Laurel street. A son of the deceased, Chief William Carson, who is stationed on the U. S. S. Baltimore, arrived in Barre last night.

H. E. Fletcher of West Chelmsford, Mass., president, and Robert D. Smith of Boston, secretary of the National Association of Granite Manufacturers, who were in the city yesterday to attend the annual meeting of the Barre Granite Manufacturers' association, returned to their homes to-day.

Auction sale of all winter millinery, trimmed and untrimmed hats, Saturday, Dec. 15, between 7 and 8 o'clock. Here is a splendid opportunity to get your hats at your own prices. D. A. Perry is the auctioneer. Remember the hours, from 7 to 9 only, Saturday evening. Mrs. S. E. Laviolette, 94 North Main street.

Judge H. W. Scott returned last evening from a trip to Burlington and Morrisville, on the occasion of which he was accompanied by Daniel Sullivan, supreme warden of the N. E. O. P. Masters, Sullivan and Scott are to attend an N. E. O. P. anniversary in Montpelier this evening and a similar meeting in Bellows Falls to-morrow night.

Miss Anita Negretti was tendered a linen shower Monday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Alfredo Visconti, the occasion being in honor of her approaching marriage to John Vittori. The occasion brought together a large number of the prospective bride's lady friends and an enjoyable evening was passed. During the evening Miss Negretti was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Among the granite manufacturers from out of town who were in Barre yesterday to attend the annual business meeting of the association were: N. Pelaggi and John A. Cross of Northfield, Arthur Provost of West Berlin, W. H. Perry, Charles D. Swasey and C. L. Oclair of Waterbury, and William B. Jones of Williamstown. East Barre and Montpelier manufacturers were well represented. Others present as guests of the association were: George R. Ford of "Granite, Marble & Bronze," Boston; F. K. Irvine of Chicago, representing "The American Stone Trade," John J. Walsh of Quincy, Mass., John J. Kittredge of Worcester, Mass., and L. G. Weidner of Dunkirk, N. Y., the two latter being retail dealers.

Anxiety over the disappearance of Bernard Lynch, the 16-year-old son of Patrick Lynch of North Main street, continues to increase among the lad's acquaintances. Yesterday Mr. Lynch called The Times office and authorized a reward of \$100 for knowledge which will lead to the restoration of the youngster. The Lynch boy left his boarding house at 580 North Main street Monday morning, after having words with his father over the matter of going to school. When he did not reappear at night, Mr. Lynch reported the case to police headquarters. It was thought that the boy went to Northfield or Bethel, but inquiry in those towns has not disclosed any desirable information. On the morning of his departure, young Lynch wore a dark colored suit, a blue sweater, and a checked cap.

MORETOWN

The local branch of the Red Cross met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. L. B. Haylett and filled the Christmas bags for the soldiers.

Merrill Griffith was unable to return to his school at Montpelier seminary this week, owing to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Sleeper were in Montpelier Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Tanner is caring for Mrs. Hugh Carpenter and infant daughter.

Mrs. Laura Wier was a guest of Mrs. Kennedy in Waterbury Saturday.

Supt. W. B. Lancer of Plainfield visited the village schools Wednesday.

Children's Concert.

Presbyterian church, Friday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 sharp. Admission, 10c. Piano solo—Ruth Wylie.

Songs—Ten boys.

Fare—"Two Ghosts in White."

Eight young ladies.

Piano duet—Ruth Wylie, Mabel Stephen.

Piano solo—Gilbert Robertson.

Songs—Little girls.

"Star Spangled Banner"—All.

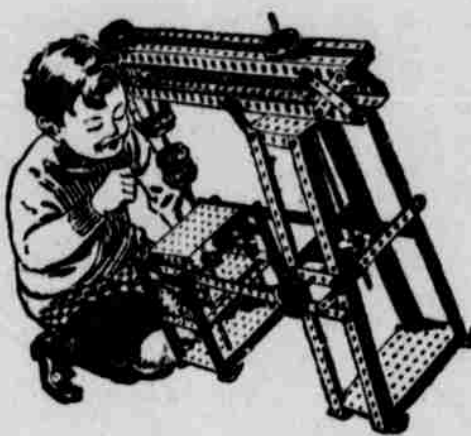
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THE MECCANO—This is the best Steel Constructional Toy upon the market to-day. With this you can build real machinery, boats, looms, machine guns, derricks, even a real loom that will weave. Owing to our lack of space, we are closing these Steel Meccano Parts at one-fourth off from the regular price. If you have some parts, you will want another assortment to increase your building set. See these Sets in our front case.

Christmas Waists and Dresses

We have just received a large assortment of Christmas Waists. These are new in design, in Georgette Crepe, Crepe de Chine, and Taffetas. In the heavier Waists, such as Linens and Dimities, we have a good assortment of tailored styles. Waists are always very acceptable; no lady has too many. These new models are different and are real Christmas models. Prices range from \$3.50 to \$7.50. We also have a large assortment of Jap Silk Waists at \$2.00. These will wash as well as a cotton and have real service. Our line of Voile Waists at \$1.25 to \$2.00 is good in style, and the quality is as good as we have ever shown.

Ladies' Wool and Silk Dresses

We have a large assortment of Silk Dresses in all the season's best shades. These are in Taffetas and Messalines. Also a good assortment of Silk Poplins at only \$10.00 to \$12.00 each. We would be glad to show you this line of Dresses. We also have a few Dresses in Silk that we are closing at half price. These are a good Dress value and the styles are very good. They are odd Dresses that we cannot duplicate.

Our line of Handkerchiefs will interest all who are looking for a little token for their friends. You will find an unusually large assortment at popular prices. See the Crepe de Chine Handkerchiefs with colored borders.

Our line of Leather Bags and Purses will surely appeal to all. See our line of Christmas Umbrellas in both ladies' and gents'. See our assortment of Christmas Cards on our front case.

The Daylight Store

WATERBURY

Public Library Closed Until Further Notice Because of Fuel Shortage.

Because of lack of fuel, the Waterbury public library will be closed until further notice.

Edward Phillips of Bolton, a member of the senior class, W. H. S., has returned to school after being absent a few days because of the illness and death of his grandfather, Edward Cullen of Bolton.

Among those who attended the funeral from here were Mrs. George Burnham, Robert Burnham, Miss Eva Burnham and John Dillon. The deceased was born in Middlesex 63 years ago last August and 40 years ago married Miss Anna Rasey of Waterbury. Most of his active life had been given to the Central Vermont railroad, first as section man and later in the bridge department. A few years ago he was hurt in a wreck and had never been well since and for the past year had been unable to work. Mr. Cullen gave of his best to the company, always faithful, and was much honored and respected by neighbors and friends. He had lived in Bolton 30 years, where his going is a distinct community loss. He is survived by his widow, one daughter, Mrs. F. F. Phillips of Bolton, and one son, Robert Cullen of St. Albans; also by four grandchildren. Two brothers and one sister also survive, Richard Cullen of Montpelier, John Cullen of St. Albans and Mrs. Wales Bass of Randolph. The funeral was held in the church of the Holy Rovers at Richmond Tuesday morning. Rev. Father Clermont officiating. Among those present from out of town besides those from here were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cullen of Montpelier, Mrs. Bass of Randolph, Mrs. Thomas Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. John Cullen, Robert Cullen and Claude Cullen of St. Albans.

Thermometers ranged anywhere yesterday morning from 20 to 36 below zero. Many who were short of fuel or burning wood in heating plants made for coal were kept busy. The weather was severe for those who are cutting and hauling wood and trying to help out with the fuel supply.

Harold Snow, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Snow of South Duxbury, who recently

enlisted in the navy, leaves to-night for training at Newport.

Earl Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Evans, has recently enlisted in the navy.

Herbert Pike is attending the meeting of the Pike-Salmon league in Washington, D. C.

An enjoyable musical program was given at the recent joint meeting of the Hypatia and Pierian clubs at the home of Mrs. G. F. Claire. Piano solos were rendered by Miss Flora Boyce, a vocal solo by Carl Claire, a brief sketch of Harry Lauder given by Mrs. Claire and record on victrola, and the "Looking Backward" sextet. The program was in charge of Mrs. D. W. Cooley.

Barre K. of C. Lead Increased.

A commanding lead in the inter-council series between the Knights of Columbus of Barre and Montpelier swung to the local knights in the sixth of the eight tournaments gotten under way in November. The pool and cribbage teams last played in Montpelier Tuesday evening, when the Barre players not only retrieved a defeat of the fortnight previous, but established a lead of two points. Two of the three pool matches went to the Barre council, and four of the six cribbage matches were won by the local knights. Until after the holidays, the inter-council matches are to be discontinued, and the next meeting will not take place until Jan. 8, when the Montpelier council members come to Barre. The summary of Tuesday's matches appears below.

Barre. Montpelier.

Dineen 50 King 21

Drummond 42 Lynch 50

Wilkie 50 O'Neill 32

Cribbage.

Barre. Montpelier.

Owens McKenna 1,600

Foley 901 Ryan 1,600

Nolan Byrne 1,000

Goneo 908 Kennedy 1,000

Leclair Galaise 965

O'Leary 1,000 Thurlant 965

Linnehan Joyal 895

Gregoire 1,000 Labershire 895

Wylie Murphy 933

T. Burke 1,000 Carey 933

A. Burke Dumas 933

Brown 1,000 Tavernia 940

Good Goods and Low Prices

Green Mountain Brand Sausage, per lb. 30c
Turk's Island Salt, per bag \$1.25
Boiled Cider in bulk, per qt. 25c
Oleomargarine, per lb. 30c and 35c
Sweet Apples and Quince.
Sultana Raisins in bulk, per lb. 18c
Whole Hams, per lb. 30c
Sliced Ham, per lb. 33c
Sliced Ham, best slices, per lb. 43c
Sliced Bacon, per lb. 42c

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SMELTS, per lb. 30c
HADDIES, all sizes, per lb. 20c
SALMON, Blood Red, per lb. 35c
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SHRIMP, per pint 25c
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